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1. The Chinese Communists are planning the movement of more forces into North Viet Nam in order to stage an attack in the Delta area. This plan was being carried out in October and November 1950 with the movement of troops in Yunnan to Kwangsi, and the movement of Kwangsi troops into North Viet Nam. During late October and early November 1950, the Chinese Communist 704 Combat Brigade*, commanded by PEOY Khoai**, moved from Yunnan to Lungchou. Two Chinese Communist Brigades are now stationed in Saobang: the 94 Brigade in upper Saobang and the 302 Brigade in lower Saobang.

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2. The 94 Brigade moved to Jacobang on 23 November 1950 from Lungchow, where it was replaced by the 904 Brigade. The Brigade was well armed before its entry into Indochina; 200 horses were employed for four days to transport the Brigade's equipment to Jacobang. On 25 November 1950, five 75 mm canon, 150 cases of ammunition and 1,500 cases of dry food were sent from Lungchow to Jacobang. The 94 Brigade is made up of the following units:

2 Combat Regiments	2700	troops
1 Rescue Regiment	1350	troops
2 Reserve Battalions	1000	troops
1 Information Battalion	500	troops
	<u>5050</u>	total effectives

3. The organization of the 94 Brigade has not changed since its entry into Indochina. Following is the organization and disposition of the Brigade:

Chief: TSON Pay Dzang, graduate of the Stalin Military School in Moscow

Deputy Chief: FC Ho Tsa

Brigade Informers: (sic)

Chief: LY Hine Hye
Deputy: WOH Yu Fe

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4. Combat Regiment 06

Chief: LOOC Pho Lo
Deputy: MAY On Louan

a) Battalion 30

Chief: PHA Lie
Deputy: LUC Phan
Headquarters: Tuyen Quang
Subordinate Units: Company 71
Company 75
Company 47

b) Battalion 32

Chief: QUAN Tsi Peang
Deputy: TCHAI Tsan Lo
Subordinate Units: Company 95, Lang Boc
Company 97, Pho Trinh
Company 99, Nghia Ta (105-31, 22-03)

c) Battalion 34

Chief: LEE Pa Hoi
Deputy: HOANG Fou Teck
Subordinate Units: Company 73, Dai Thi (105-20, 22-12)
Company 77, Yen Thinh
Company 79, Cho Don

5. Combat Regiment 74***

Chief: YU
Deputy: QUAI ? Lo

a) Battalion 68

Chief: PHU Ang Quai
Deputy: HO Thuc Tsoi
Subordinate Units: Company 61, Bac Lon
Company 63, Nghia Tong
Company 51, Dinh Ba

b) Battalion 70

Chief: JUU Lie Le'ang
Deputy: TA Koong Tchou
Subordinate Units: Company 62, Pho Binh Gia
Company 68
Company 60

c) Battalion 72

Chief: KEE Pa Tie
Deputy: HI Va Tsa
Headquarters: Cho Chu
Subordinate Units: Company 64
Company 66
Company 70

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6. Rescue Regiment 62

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Chief: LY Kie Lan
Deputy: KIE Luli Ka

a) Battalion 56****

Chief: PHOIE Ko Ho
Deputy: EDING Kooc
Subordinate Units: Company 41, Nam Pa
Company 43, Binh Nhon
Company 45, Cho Ra

b) Battalion 53*****

Chief: LA Paie Kie
Deputy: HIE Lou Poo
Subordinate Units: Company 53, Koo Len (105-53, 22-30)
Company 55, Ha Lien
Company 57, Tong Hoa (105-53, 22-16)

c) Battalion 60

Chief: SI Leang Po
Deputy: CHIMI Hoi Leang
Subordinate Units: Company 65, Yen Lac
Company 67
Company 69, La Giam (106-13, 22-25)

7. Reserve Battalion 46

Chief: FOUH Kie May
Deputy: NGAY To

a) Company 40

Chief: KIAY May Looc
Headquarters: Tra Linh (106-20, 22-49)

b) Company 42

Chief: LOCK Tsie Khiong
Headquarters: Loc Giang

c) Company 44

Chief: PHA Lia Yia
Headquarters: Hoa An

8. Reserve Battalion 34

Chief: HIL Pou Pou
Deputy: NING Ha Ly

a) Company 23

Chief: FOUIE Eoc Le'a

b) Company 30

Chief: PL Hua Lie

c) Company 32

Chief: LIL Lia Kuay

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Units of the 302 Brigade, commanded by LOC Phouie Tsie, have been ordered to move to the following bases:

9. Defense Regiment 736
 - a) Battalion 684

Company 600: Na Cai (106-40, 22-35)
Company 602: Nam Hang
Company 606: Ta Lung (106-33, 22-20)
 - b) Battalion 686: Quang Myen
 - c) Battalion 688: Truong Khanh Tu (106-41, 21-40)
10. Combat Regiment (Number not designated)
 - a) Battalion 430

Company 701: Po Dai
Company 705: Po Ta
Company 707: Po Na
 - b) Battalion 732: Dong Khe
11. Combat Regiment 732
 - a) Company 698: That Khe
 - b) Company 694: Na Tchan
 - c) Regiment 696 *

Company 630 Nam
Company 634
Company 638: My Liet
 - d) Battalion 66: Dong Dang
12. Aid Battalion 80 (sic)

Battalion 82

Company 72: Ban Bay
Company 74: Na Ke
Company 78: Na Ke

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- 25X1A * [REDACTED] Comment. This report is reproduced with a minimum of editing. Unit designations are retained as in the original report. In paragraph 11, it is not clear whether Regiment 269 is an independent unit or whether it is actually a battalion erroneously reported as a regiment.
- 25X1A ** [REDACTED] Comment. No characters were received for the Chinese names in this report. They are therefore retained as received.
- 25X1A *** [REDACTED] Comment. Regiment 74 was reported in [REDACTED] as a unit of the Tso River Column, which was rumored to have assisted Viet Minh troops in the attack on Dong she, Seo [REDACTED]. According to [REDACTED] late November 1950, the 74 Regiment was in the Lungchou-Heip'ing-Kueishun area of Kwangsi.
- 25X1A **** [REDACTED] Comment. In the original report, companies 41, 43, and 45 were also reported as units of Battalion 55.
- 25X1A ***** [REDACTED] Comment. In the original report, companies 53, 55, and 57 were also reported as units of Battalion 56.

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